

Exhibit 4
Iowa Department of Natural Resources
Water Supply Engineering Section
SRF Environmental Review Services Checklist

The following checklist provided for the Owner and Consultant in order to provide the appropriate information to utilize the SRF Environmental Review Services (ERS). Please provide the following to the SRF ERS Coordinator:

- ☐ A listing of any other planned sources of federal funding to better coordinate environmental review efforts
- ☐ An accurate map of the site with marked boundaries; if the specific area has yet to be specifically defined, please mark a larger area that will include the final project area
- ☐ A project description detailing the project scope
- ☐ A description of any ancillary impact—destruction or abandonment of current building/structures, borrow pits, staging area, new access for roads/utility lines.
- ☐ A description of the existing environment without the project including:
 - ☐ The current use(s) of the project area and immediate vicinity
 - ☐ The current habitat of the project area and immediate vicinity
 - ☐ If farmland is going to be converted to non-farmland, please provide answers to the following:
 - ☐ What is the size of the farm unit(s) containing the project area?
 - ☐ How much of the project area has been farmed (managed for a scheduled harvest or timber activity) more than 5 of the last 10 years?
 - ☐ How much of the project area will be converted from agricultural use as a result of the proposed project?
- ☐ Photos of the project site showing current use and habitat (digital files are preferred)
- ☐ A description of the expected future environment without the project if it is expected to change from the existing environment.
- ☐ A short discussion of other feasible options (alternative locations, techniques, methods, or capacities considered) and the rationale used to select the proposed project over these other options
- ☐ Contact information for the property landowner if an archeological survey becomes necessary
- ☐ A listing of any expected impacts to the environment, if known, and a listing of any planned steps to minimize adverse effect.